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Lunacy Exhibit

An exhibition titled "Lunacy: Nocturnal Images by Stephen McGowen" opens at the Marion Art Center on Friday, October 7 with a reception to meet the artist from 6:00 to 8:00 pm. These night scenes bathed in moonlight and studies of the night sky are rendered in acrylics on canvas and range in size from 5" x 7" to 30" x 40".

Mr. McGowen is a resident of North Dartmouth, MA and received his MFA from Hartford School of art. His paintings are in numerous public and private collections in the United States and Europe. His work is part of the permanent collection of the prestigious Whitney Museum of America Art in New York City.

The show will run through November 18. The galleries at the Marion Art Center are open to the public Tuesday through Friday, 1:00 to 5:00 pm and Saturdays, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Admission is free.

Members Show

Fifty-one Marion Art Center member artists are included in the 2005 Annual Members Show that is on display now through October 5 in both galleries at the Center. Subjects range from landscapes to seascapes to still lifes to abstracts. A wide variety of images are rendered in watercolor, oils, pastels, pen and ink, gold leaf and a unique "freeform" acrylic on metal vessel. Most of the work is for sale, and prices range from \$60 to \$1800. There are also some unfamed pieces in a bin starting at \$35.

Participating artists are: Charles Parsons, Peter, Stone, Stephanie Warburg, Mike Mazer, Elke Pierre, Judith Rosbe, Betty Ann Lemist, Nancy Putnam, Caryn Koffman, Barbara Geagan, Geni Ferro, Ina Andersen Noonan, Joan DeRuggeris, Veronique Bale, Judy Carver, Paula Cobb, Lissa Magauran, Mary Ross, Peggy Call-Conley, Joseph Cobb, Mary Ann Patrick, Robert Dunn, Gabriella Giblin, Joan Andrews, Landis Major, Betty Boudreaux, Betty Beaulieu, Fran Fuller Baldwin, Meg Howland,

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Membership is open to the public. The next Members Show will be held February 5 to March 23, 2006. All members in good standing are eligible to participate. For more information, please call 508-748-1266 or visit their website at www.marionartcenter.org. The galleries are open Tuesday to Friday, 1:00 to 5:00 pm, and Saturdays, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm.

Halloween Hoopla

Join the Marion Art Center for a "Halloween Hoopla" with That Chick Band! on Saturday, October 29 at 7:30 pm. There will be prizes, laughs, fun and great music to be had. BYO Poison. Costumes are optional. Tickets are \$12/\$15 and reservations are recommended (508-748-1266).

Steel Magnolias

Auditions for the Marion Art Center's production of *Steel Magnolias* will take place on November 15 and 16 from 7:00 to 8:00 pm with a planned production slated for

On the cover: Kate Connelly of Mattapoisett and Claude Leonidas recently participated in a food-sorting competition at the Greater Boston Food Bank on Wednesday, August 31. The unique volunteer effort also included Brett Quigley, a PGA Tour player and participants from the PGA Tour Wives Association and Deutsche Bank. The groups combined to sort nearly 18,000 pounds of food or 11,000 meals, which will be distributed to more than 600 hunger-relief agencies throughout eastern Massachusetts. The sorting event coincided with the Deutsche Bank Championship, a PGA Tour tournament held at the TPC in Norton, MA over Labor Day weekend. (Photo by and courtesy of Bethany Versoy).

Weekly Give Away

This week we are giving away an autographed copy of Rob Gonsalves movie review compilation entitled, "The New Golden Age; Movies 1995-1999". To enter simply go to *The Wanderer* web page at www.wanderer.com, click on the Contest Link and enter the contest code TS014. Then answer the following question:

In last week's review, movie critic Rob Gonsalves compared "The Exorcism of Emily Rose" to what classic 1973 horror film?

Good luck, we will select a winner from all answers received by noontime on September 30, 2005.

To enter through the mail, send a postcard with your name address, contest number and answer to: *Wanderer Contest*, P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisett, MA 02739

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Thanksgiving Tea

A Thanksgiving Tea Party will take place on Saturday, November 26 at 3:00 pm. Reservations are required and can be made by calling 508-748-1266.

Holiday Shop

The Marion Art Center's Annual Holiday Shop will run from November 25 through December 23, 2005, with a gala opening planned for November 25.

50th Anniversary

The Marion Art Center is planning to celebrate its 50th Anniversary in 2007. Thanks to support from many people in southeastern New England, the center continues to fulfill its mission of promoting the visual and performing arts through exhibitions, plays, musicals, concerts, lectures, classes lessons and by supporting cultural and civic events in the community. Membership is open to the public. For more information, please call 508-748-1266 or check out the website at www.marionartcenter.org.

Mattapoisett Selectmen's Meeting

September 20, 2005

By Kenneth J. Souza

A regular meeting of the Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen was called to order on Tuesday, September 20 at 6:00 pm by Acting Chairman Jordan C. Collyer. Also present were Selectman Raymond H. Andrews, Town Administrator Michael J. Botelho, and Assistant to the

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Town Administrator Melody Pacheco. Selectman Stephen J. Lombard was not present for the meeting.

The board voted unanimously to approve the Selectmen's Meeting minutes of August 30, 2005 and September 6, 2005.

The first appointment at 6:00 pm was with the Library Building Committee to present the final figures to the board in answer to the request of the Selectmen after their last meeting. Robert Atkinson discussed the effort of the committee to further reduce the cost of the building by \$528,000. Factoring in the reduction of two pledge amounts over which the committee had no control and the addition of funds in the contingency account at the request of the Selectmen, the percentages of funding remain

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basically the same – 40 percent to be borne by the town and 60 percent through outside funding.

However, at this meeting, Robert Cattley presented the architectural plans and the estimated cost to make the existing building Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) compliant and to perform the much needed maintenance and repairs to the 100-year-old building. These costs could easily reach \$1 million or more. His report outlined the necessary changes to the building's exterior and interior that would be extensive and would serve to further reduce the available space which is already extremely overcrowded. Therefore, the Library Trustees are requesting approval of the board for the borrowing of \$1.536 million via a Debt Exclusion to be voted on at the October 24 Special Town Meeting and the subsequent October 25 Special Town Election. The approximate cost to each homeowner remains \$24 to \$36 per year for the new library renovation or, in relative terms, the cost of one hardcover book per year.

Selectman Andrews asked if the committee had included the cost of alleviating mold if there is a problem in the ADA figures. Since they had not, he was of the opinion that it would add to the cost of making the building compliant. He also pointed out that the difference to the town of the \$1.5 million cost for a virtually new library and \$1 million cost for ADA compliance would be approximately \$500,000. Selectman Andrews then moved that the board accept the figure of \$1,536,394 as a Proposition 2-1/2 Debt Exclusion override for the Library Resto-

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ration Project. It was voted unanimously.

However, Selectman Collyer said he intended to examine the figures more closely before voting to approve the expenditure, especially since Chairman Lombard was not present. Selectman Andrews wanted to remind residents that if they do not support the article, they would face the same situation as Center School which was not ADA compliant. Therefore, he supports the funding of the library project.

Mr. Atkinson then announced that any resident may get a copy of The Mattapoisett Free Public Library Building Program complete with all the figures, rationale, and floor plans for ADA compliance by calling the library at 508-758-4171. In addition, any resident who has a

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group that would like to discuss the plans with a building committee member can call the library, and a meeting for discussion will be arranged.

The board then announced the following:

- The next Selectmen's Meeting will be Tuesday, October 4 at 6:00 pm at Town Hall;
- The next Mattapoisett Elementary Building School Committee Meeting will be September 22 at 4:30 pm at Center School;
- The Planning Board Meeting of Monday, September 19 regarding the proposed Tedeschi/Dunkin' Donuts project was taped and will run on Wednesday, September 21 after the Selectmen's taped meeting and will air at approximately 8:00 pm.

Town Administrator Michael J. Botelho reported the appointment of the following Reserve Police Officers/EMTs: Donna Wunschel of Fairhaven; Brian Sladewski of North Dartmouth; Shaun Kelley of Rehoboth; and Reserve Police Officer/Paramedic David Faunce of Fairhaven. In addition, the Council on Aging (COA) will present an update at the October 4 Selectmen's Meeting.

Mr. Botelho then presented the board with the 18 proposed Special Town Meeting articles. After explanation of some of the articles, the board voted to close the warrant for the Special Town Meeting of October 24, 2005. If the Free Cash figures are not forthcoming in time from the state, some of the articles may be remanded to a future Town Meeting.

A further discussion took place concerning reno-

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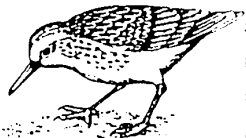
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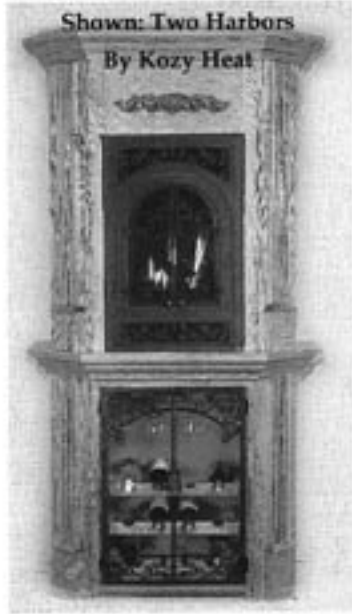
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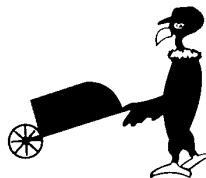
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Town Clerk Barbara Sullivan also announced that Voter Registration will be accepted on October 4 until 8:00 pm at the Town Hall.

Under incoming correspondence for the week, the board:

- Received correspondence from Water/Sewer Superintendent William "Nick" Nicholson on the Brant Beach Sewer Project. It is expected to begin on September 19 and continue for approximately a year.

- Received notice of a meeting of the Southeast Regional Planning and Economic Development District (SPREDD) on September 28 at 7:00 pm at 88 Broadway in Taunton.

- Received a memo from Police Chief Mary Lyons advising that a resident found a sum of money and recently turned it in to the Police Station. The person who lost the money should contact the Police Department to identify the amount and circumstances.

There being no further matters to come before the board, they voted unanimously to adjourn for the evening at 6:55 pm.

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men was called to order on Tuesday, September 20 at 7:00 pm by Chairman Jonathan Henry. Also present were Selectman Andrew Jeffrey, Selectman David Pierce, Town Administrator Jack Dolan, and Secretary Helene Craver.

The board first approved the minutes of the August 23 meeting, and then approved three one-day all-alcohol licenses — two for events at the Marion Social Club and one for the Benjamin D. Cushing VFW Post 2425. The board also voted to appoint Jonathan Henry as their representative to the Buzzards Bay Action Committee (BBAC) and also Karl R. Kistler to the Mattapoissett River Valley Water District.

Under the Town Administrator's report, Mr. Dolan provided the board with updates on several ongoing

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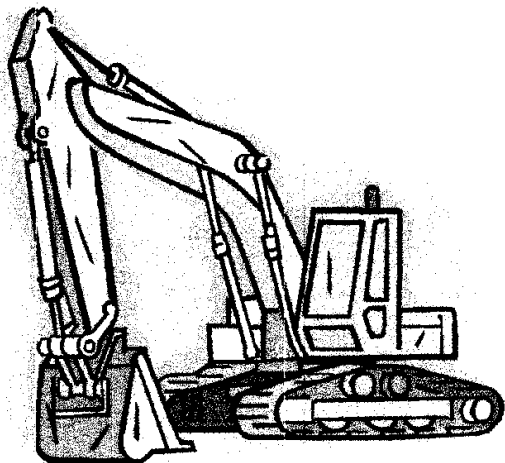
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To date, they have placed about 1,000 feet of the three-inch sewer main down Delano Road and they expect to install at least 380 feet a day as the project continues. "Originally, they were going to do the main line and follow with a smaller crew doing the tie-ins," Mr. Dolan said. "Instead, they are going to continue with the (main sewer line) and bring a separate crew in to do the sewer tie-ins. We're still waiting to get access agreements from several people."

Mr. Dolan then demonstrated the new electrical box panel to be installed outside all homes which will power the grinder pump at the tie-in connection. These new electrical panel boxes will be released to homeowners by the end of October and must be installed by a licensed electrician via the proper permitting process. The boxes will then be secured with a padlock and accessible only by members of the town's Department of Public Works (DPW). If need be, homeowners can also power the grinder pump via a generator connection located on the side of the panel. If there is a pump or power failure, a visual and audible alarm on the panel will make the homeowner aware of the problem.

Next, Mr. Dolan provided an update on the Island Wharf project and noted that, according to DPW Superintendent Rob Zora, the work should be completed by October 15 at a final estimated cost of about \$244,913 to



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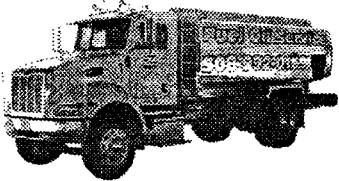
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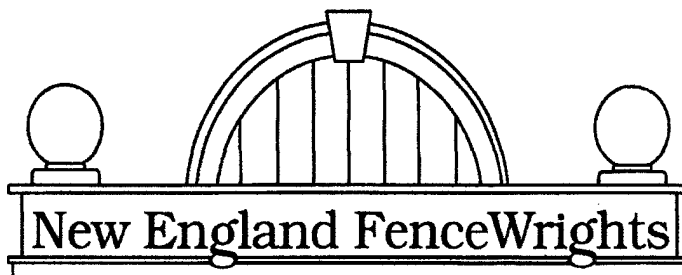
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date. Portions of this total cost will be offset by \$20,000 in funding from the Buzzards Bay Project (BBP), \$18,000 from the Marion Historical Commission, \$165,193 from Coastal Zone Management (CZM), and \$41,790 from the DPW budget, which will likely be eligible for Chapter 90 reimbursement from the state.

"I guess this project was well-intended ... but I do think it's a good example of how expensive such work can get," Selectman Jeffrey said. "I would just say that in the future, when we take on another project like this, we need to have a contingency fund in place."

"None of the culverts and catchbasins down (at Island Wharf) were working correctly," Chairman Henry said. "The old Marion gas piping that used to illuminate the street lights is still in place. I can see why (it ran into) cost overruns. But all things considered, if we had a big contingency fund (in place) we probably would have just paid for the project."

Mr. Dolan also updated the board on the status of the Harbormaster search. After receiving a total of 40 applications for the position, the members of the Marine Resources Commission (MRC) narrowed that list down to 10, each of whom they interviewed along with Mr. Dolan and Interim Harbormaster John Potito. From that batch, the MRC has recommended three finalists for the Board of Selectmen to interview: Michael Cormier; Isaac Perry and Daniel Warncke. The board agreed to schedule interviews with the three finalists as soon as possible, beginning on Monday, September 26.

"I was happy to see the number of applicants and, in particular, the quality of the applicants," Mr. Dolan added. "I wholly concur (with the MRC's) recommendations."

As for the proposed October 24 Special Town Meeting, Mr. Dolan informed the board that unless they receive subsequent warrant articles from the Planning



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Board, they likely will not proceed with the Special Town Meeting as planned. "Right now we just don't have enough articles," Mr. Dolan said.

Under incoming correspondence, the board received:

- Letter and pledge of \$18,090 from the Kittansett Club of Marion to be used to purchase the following items from the town's "wish list": floating water pump for the Fire Department (\$2,505); outboard motor (\$6,000) and emergency generator (\$3,000) for the Marine Resources Department; in-cruiser radar unit (\$1,500) for the Police Department; network server for MUNIS (\$3,500) for the Marion Town House; and a three-inch, 8 HP Honda trash pump (\$1,585) for the Department of Public Works



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"I'd really like to commend (the Kittansett Club) ... everyone will benefit from (this donation)," Chairman Henry said. "These are things ... we'd have to go to the taxpayers to fund. It's a good example for others to follow."

"I'd just like to single out John Farnham of the Kittansett Club," Mr. Dolan said. "He was instrumental in moving this forward and I just want to thank him personally."

- Letter of resignation from Janice Mendes who is stepping down from the Conservation Commission (Con-Com) due to medical reasons. Ms. Mendes has agreed to stay on the ConCom until a replacement is appointed. As such, those interested in applying to fill the seat on the ConCom should submit a letter of interest to the Board of Selectmen, c/o Marion Town House, 2 Spring Street, Marion, MA 02738.

- Memo from Shellfish Officer Isaac Perry recommending the opening of recreational dip netting in all areas of Marion beginning October 1, 2005; the opening of recreational and commercial dragging in the Outer Harbor beginning October 15, 2005; and the opening of recreational and commercial dragging in the Inner Harbor beginning November 1, 2005. The board unanimously voted to approve this schedule for the 2005 Scallop Season as per Mr. Isaac's recommendations.

Before adjourning, Chairman Henry shared some information as to the road work being done on Route 6



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"That (work) is being done by the state," Chairman Henry said. "There is an old stone slab bridge (under Route 6) ... where chinks have fallen out over the years and (portions) of Route 6 have dropped out. They found the road was beginning to fail, so they opened up the highway and are repairing the section in the middle. This drainage structure also drains the stream that used to be from the Sparrow Mill ... originally a grist mill and later a saw mill. Members of the Winters family ran the mill into the 20th century. Portions of the mill foundation and structures are still there in the woods."

There being no further matters to come before the board, they unanimously voted to adjourn for the evening at 8:26 pm.

Rochester Selectmen's Meeting

September 19, 2005

By Kenneth J. Souza

A regular meeting of the Rochester Board of Selectmen was called to order on Monday, September 19 at 7:00 pm by Chairman Gary Laboa. Also present were Selectman Richard Nunes, Selectman Bradford Morse, Town Administrator James Huntoon, and Administrative Assistant Veronica Lafreniere.

The board first approved the minutes of the September 12 meeting and then heard Mr. Huntoon's Town Administrator's report.

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Mr. Huntoon advised there are still a couple of more articles pending for the October 25 Special Town Meeting warrant. He also noted there are a couple of town-sponsored groups requesting the use of Rochester Memorial School — Rochester Adult Basketball and the Rochester Boy Scouts — and they are being asked to take out additional insurance coverage for these activities. Mr. Huntoon will look into this further.

At 7:05 pm the board opened a public hearing on a liquor violation against Plumb Corner Market and owner Steve Souza which was discovered during a recent "sting" operation conducted under the auspices of the Rochester Police Department. According to Police Chief Paul Magee, a 20-year-old female was allowed to

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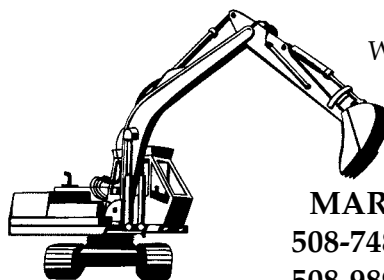
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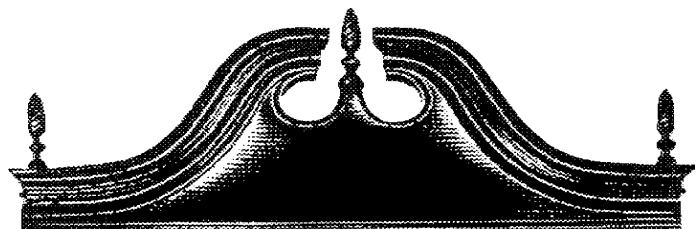


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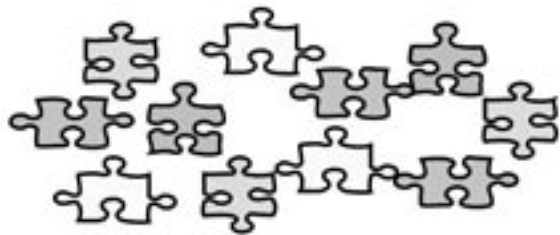
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"Mr. Souza, we find ourselves in this unfortunate situation again," Chairman Laboa said.

"I conducted in-house compliance checks on my own over the past year ... and there was no violation," Mr. Souza said. "(The clerk) was hired on July 8 and the (violation) took place on August 20. I'm not trying to make an excuse, but this was a new employee who understood the policy. She, clearly, should not have (sold) the liquor without an identification."

Mr. Souza said he contacted the Alcoholic Beverage Control Commission (ABCC) about the violation and they agreed to send someone to his store to conduct an informational meeting with all his employees, which was held last Wednesday.

"Every effort was made since last year internally ... and now (I've asked) an ABCC investigator to come out (to the store)," Mr. Souza said. "I'm not happy about this whole situation. The employee is no longer with us, unfortunately. A lot of effort has been put into this, (although) the result doesn't show this. We want to do the right thing all the time."

"Fortunately, nothing happened ... but this is the third (violation)," Selectman Nunes stressed.

"Clearly, in all three violations, the problem was the clerk not asking for an ID," Chief Magee said. "The solution to this problem has to come from within. The key to solving this is to ensure that every single person (who

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looks) under 30 or 40 is asked for identification."

"I don't want the board to feel we haven't made a great effort," Mr. Souza said. "This is embarrassing to be here. I don't like being here (and) I don't like selling to minors."

"I don't discount the fact that you've made efforts," Chairman Laboa said. "Although there have been a lot of ideas (presented here), I don't think it's the board's job to dictate your policy. However, with a (repeat) violation ... there needs to be some (punitive) action taken."

With that, Chairman Laboa recommended the liquor license for Plumb Corner Market be suspended for seven days, from September 24 through September 30, 2005. The motion was defeated, 2 to 1.

A second motion to suspend the liquor license for ten days, from Saturday, September 24 through Monday, October 3, 2005 was made and passed, 2 to 1, with Chairman Laboa in sole opposition.

At 7:40 pm the board opened a public hearing on a request from Troy Ramos for a Class II license.

Mr. Ramos applied for a car dealer's license at his auto painting establishment. While this business slows down during the summer months, he hoped to bring in "a truck or two" to work on and resell from the site, he said.

"I'm sure you're aware with some issues (some boards) have had with the (adjacent) business," Chairman Laboa said, referring to letters from Building Inspector Robert Francis and the Conservation Commission (Con-Com) about prior complaints.



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Dale Briggs, who has a business across the street from Mr. Ramos' operation, raised concerns over fumes and spray from the painting operation which have drifted over onto his property.

"I don't have a problem with someone trying to make a living," Mr. Briggs said. "But they were painting with the doors open (last week) ... and the (paint) travels into my lot. I just think they need to clean up their act a bit. I'm just tired of the removal spray. Sometimes it's just like a fog coming out of there."

Mr. Ramos contends the adjacent business owner, Floyd Andrews, has his own sandblasting and painting operation and is responsible for these concerns.

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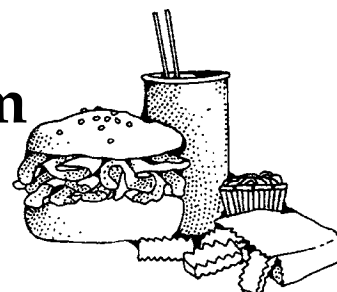
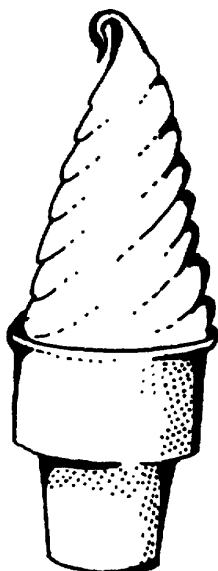
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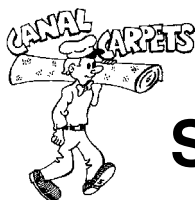
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When Mr. Ramos stressed that he never paints vehicles outside or with the bay doors open, as Mr. and Ms. Briggs suggested, the couple produced photographs taken on the prior Saturday evening of a truck they claim was painted at Mr. Ramos' shop.

With that, the board agreed to continue the hearing until such time that they could further investigate both Mr. Andrews' and Mr. Ramos' operations and determine if there were any violations against either business which could affect the Class II license application.

At 7:55 pm the board met with Conservation Agent Laurell J. Farinon and Doug Cameron of the Public Access Board to discuss revised plans for the Mary's Pond Boat Access Ramp and parking area.

As per last week's meeting, Mr. Cameron presented the revised plans for a smaller parking area off Perry's Lane.

"The Public Access Board is now the Office of Fishing and Boating Access," Mr. Cameron said. "As part of us getting a new name, there are rules and regulations under that procedure. We wanted to change our name a bit so it better defines what we do."

In other matters, the board:

- Signed and endorsed a letter supporting the South Shore Housing Consortium Program and their participation in said program.
- Voted to appoint Patricia Erickson to the Roch-

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- Received payment in lieu of taxes from SEMASS in the amount of \$284,234 for 102,071 tons of refuse collected during the month of August, 2005. "Looking at the (totals), it looks like we're about \$160,000 ahead of last year," Chairman Laboa said.

- Noted that Police Chief Paul Magee just completed 40 hours of law enforcement training in Alabama and was one of only three Massachusetts law enforcement officers asked to participate in the program.

Under Old Business, Chairman Laboa discussed a pending non-criminal by-law which Zoning Enforcement Office (ZEO) Robert Francis wanted to adopt so he could assess fines without taking violators into criminal court. Mr. Francis will likely present this proposed by-law amendment to voters at the upcoming Special Town Meeting.

There being no further matters to come before the board, they unanimously voted to adjourn for the evening at 8:37 pm.

Sports Shorts

Lulu Rose Colored Walk

In memory of four-year-old Olivia "Lulu" Pyne from Wareham, the Gleason Family YMCA is hosting a family event Lulu's Rose Colored Walk on the Cape Cod Canal Access Road in Bourne on Saturday, October 15

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Rochester Golf Benefit

Team Regal is running the Boston Marathon and fundraising for Dana Farber Cancer Institute. This year **Tina Rood** and **Deb Holden** will be running and the entire team will support their fundraising efforts towards

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raising \$5,000. A **Team Regal Second Annual Charity Golf Tournament** to benefit Dana-Farber Cancer Institute will be held at the **Rochester Golf Course on Saturday, October 1 with a 11:15 am start time.** Cost is \$70 per person which includes golf, boxed lunch and cookout. There will be raffles and other fun prizes. Families are invited to attend the cookout, just include \$5 for each non-tournament adult attending the cookout. You must reserve your tee time with **Beth Smith 508-763-8809, Tina Rood 508-763-0597, or Debbie Holden 508-763-5497.**

Rochester Adult Basketball

The **Rochester Adult Basketball League** will begin playing on **Thursday, October 6.** (Delay is due to floor re-finishing). Games will be played each Thursday at the **Rochester Memorial School gym from 6:00 to 9:00 pm.** Rochester residents only. Please enter the gym through the rear doors. If you have any questions, please contact Justin Shay at 508-763-8764 or justinshay@comcast.net.

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YMCA Events

• **Camp Metacomet 10K Road Race:** The Dartmouth YMCA is hosting its Fourth Annual 10K Road Race at 10:00 am on **Sunday, September 25.** The course was certified in 2003. Runners will wind through rural and historic back roads of South Dartmouth.starting and end-

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• **Children's Fun Run:** The Dartmouth YMCA is hosting a Children's Fun Run at 10:15 am on **Sunday September 25**. The event is free for youth 12 years and under. It is held around the field at the Dartmouth YMCA. Awards will be given to the first 100 participants. For more information call 508-993-3361 or email: campmetaco met@ymcasouthcoast.org.

• **Healthy Balance:** The Gleason Family YMCA is offering a new nutrition program consists of eight weekly group classes, and three individual appointments with Lu Brito, the Wellness Director and Nutrition Manager. Participants receive a textbook with menu plans and recipes. Also included is an educational edition of the Nutrition Manager software to analyze their eating patterns. Lu will also help design a personalized exercise program and help each participant have a better understanding of the impact of stress on health and ways to control or eliminate it. Cost is \$149 for members and \$199 for the General Public. For more information, please call Lu at 508-295-9622, extension 19.

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Little Harbor Golf

The Ladies League at Little Harbor Country Club played a Nassau Tournament on Wednesday, September 7. The results were as follows:

• Best Back: First: Suzin Zimble, Betsy Grassi, Shirley Petite, and May Anderson; Second: Diddie Kiewetter, Emily Steele, Ruth Souza and Dorothy Savoy; Third: Carol Foote, Marilyn Burton, Janet Draghetti and Jean Tuleja;

• Best Back: First: Nancy Chase, Mary Ford, Jackie Murray and Audrey Demers; Tie for Second: Verne Ewer, Ruth Gorman, Joan Harrington and Andrea Matoes and Lee Guerin Edmonds, Jean Conaughton,

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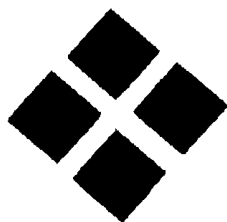
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• Overall: Tie for First: **Nancy Chase, Mary Ford, Jackie Murray and Audrey Demers and Lee Guerin Edmonds, Jean Connaughton and Irene Burgess**; Third: **Carol Foote, Marilyn Burton, Janet Draghetti and Jean Tuleja**; Fourth: **June Clancy, Sally Billington, Gloria Ragusa and Peggie Fazzina.**

The Closest to the Pin winners were: **Wendy Longo** (Hole #1); **Nancy Chase** (Hole #2); **Joyce Nardella** (Hole #11); and **Dorothy Savoy** (Hole #15).

The Ladies League at Little Harbor Country Club in Wareham enjoyed a **Best Ball Tournament** on **September 14**. Winning teams were as follows:

• Three-Way Tie for First Place: **Saundra Kiesgelas, Thelma Bold, Mary Franklin and Joan Murphy**, also **Karen Hart, Jane Holway, Carola Vonkapff and Linda Pittella**; and **Jean McCann, Marilyn Burton, Helen Richie and Joan Collins**;

• Fourth Place: **Mae Duffee, Sylvia Gay, Patricia O'Malley and Anne Joerres.**

The Closest to the Pin winners were: **Nancy MacDuffee** (Hole #1); **Patricia O'Malley** (Hole #3); **Sandra Skiesgelas** (Hole #11) and **Thelma Bold** (Hole #17).
Please send ideas, comments and suggestions to: Sports, c/o The Wanderer, P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisett, MA 02739, e-mail releases to news@wanderer.com, or fax, 24-hours-a-day, to 508-758-4845.

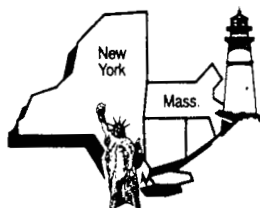
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Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

I'd like to thank Mr. Souza so much for writing a great story in *The Wanderer* for the "Friends of the Elderly Kids Group." It helped us out a lot and brought in a lot of people to our Yard Sale Fundraiser. I'd like to let you know that we raised almost \$400! Many townspeople (who read the story) stopped by just to leave a little donation for the program and let us know that we were doing a good job in the community. We'd like to thank everyone who stopped by! Our first meeting (was) Thursday, September 15 at the Alden Court Nursing Home. We will be using some of our money to provide an ice cream social for our first adopt-a-grandparent session. In conclusion, on behalf of the group, I'd like to say thanks again for writing that great story and taking the great photo!

Sincerely,

Jillian Jensen, President

Friends of the Elderly Kids Group, Rochester

To the Editor:

On behalf of the Marion School Committee, I wish to welcome all Sippican School students and families to the 2005-2006 academic year and extend a special acknowledgment to our terrific staff and administration. The principal, teachers, custodians, and support staff have been hard at work for several weeks getting ready for the students and a year full of new experiences

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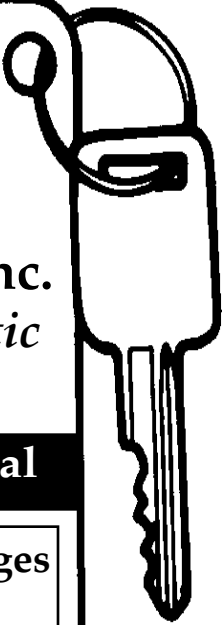
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Last year we recognized the following folks for outstanding achievement: teachers Paula McKeen, Chris Silva; adjustment counselor Reggie Carter; parents Matt Paknis, Ben Dunham, Jane McCarthy, and Steve Mendes, MD; the Marion Department of Public Works; former interim part-time assistant principal Leon Love; former assistant superintendent Carol Young; and retiring school committee member Karen Kevelson.

On September 21, the School Committee will publicly acknowledge the Braitmayer Foundation, which has helped fund VASE (Volunteers At Sippican Elementary) programs in the arts and "Reading Is Fundamental" for 30 years. Our librarian estimates that over 25,000 books have been given to Sippican students during that time, thanks to the Braitmayer Foundation. Truly a remarkable achievement! The public is cordially invited to attend or send a note of thanks to be given to the Braitmayer trustees. We welcome suggestions from our community of those who should be recognized by the school committee. Just e-mail or send a note to school with your nominees.

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was instrumental in creating the Children's Garden at Sippican School. Chairman Allyn Streeter, garden designer Susannah Davis, and committee members Hannah Moore, Jane McCarthy, Nita Howland, and Susan Grosart. To quote Kristin Rego, mother of Andrew — one of the children remembered in the garden — "(The reading garden) reminds us how fortunate we are to be part of such a wonderful community and school system where children are treasured by the adults who share the responsibility of raising them."

Finally, the school committee welcomes two new co-chairmans at VASE: Donna Walther and Marissa Ortiz. We urge all parents to volunteer at the school in some manner. Parents and community members have always made a tremendous difference in what we can offer our students. Being involved in school is good for all of us, for your children, and is fun and



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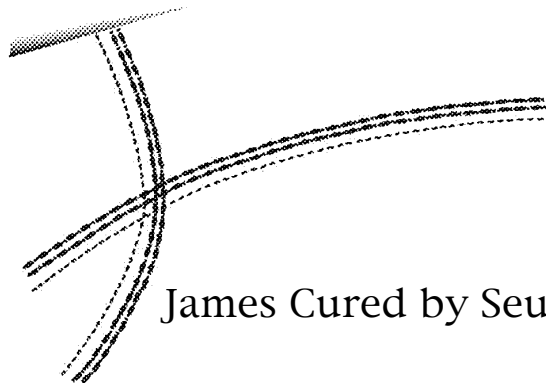
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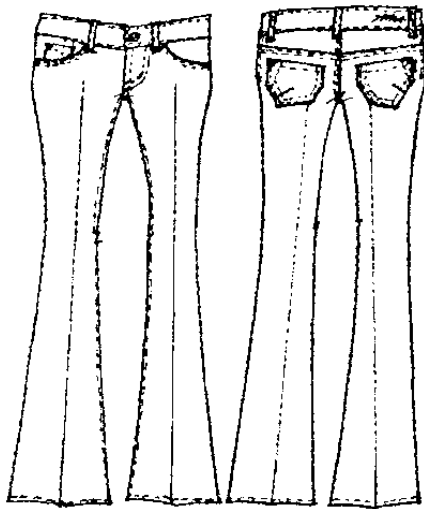
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Marion School Committee

To the Editor:

Marion residents: Thank you for participating in the Katrina Fund. We have raised \$300 to send to the Katrina victims. We will be sending the money to the Red Cross Fund! A big THANK YOU to the following stores in Marion for letting us put our cans in their store: Uncle Jon's, West Marine, BankNorth (formerly Cape Cod Bank and Trust), Eastern Bank (formerly Plymouth Savings), the General Store, Spirits, Isabelle's and TJ's Liquor Store. Also, a big thanks to R.J. Noonan Construction.

Thanks Again!

Sincerely,

Nicole and Russell Noonan

Marion

To the Editor:

The Old Hammondtown School's "Cans for Bands" program will no longer be in existence. The program, which was run every Saturday morning, has served the bands at OHS well. Money from those cans has bought a tuba, baritone horn, set of drums and vibraphone and bus fees for competitions and other playing experiences that our young musicians have attended.

I would like to thank all the parents that helped us out in the past and all of the dedicated can donors. You all have done an incredible job and past band members and I would like to thank you. However, time marches on and it has become time to move on to other fund-raising ideas. One way to continue helping the OHS music program is to drop off any unwanted used musical instruments to me at Old Hammondtown School.

Once again, thank you all.

Sincerely,

Stan Ellis, Director

Old Hammondtown School Band

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Channel 9 Schedule

- Thursday, September 22 – 6:30 pm: Drawing With Dave; 7:00 pm: Whale's Soundings: Living in the District; 7:31pm: Drawing With Dave; 8:01 pm: Tri-Town Hurricane Relief Update;
- Friday, September 23 – 7:00 pm: Marion Select-



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men's Meeting (9/20/05);

- Monday, September 26 – 8:00 pm: Capitol Perspectives: Senator Kennedy; 8:30 pm: Commonwealth Report: Senator Pacheco; 9:00 pm: Polish Hour;
- Tuesday, September 27 – 7:00 pm: Tri-Town Hurricane Relief Update; 7:10 pm: Sippican Historical and Preservation Society;
- Wednesday, September 28 – 7:00 pm: Antiquing: Marion Antiques Show Heirloom Discovery; 7:30 pm: Wild Bill's Watercolors; 8:00 pm: Tri-Town Hurricane Relief Update; 8:10 pm: Antiquing: Marion Antiques Show Heirloom Discovery.

ORR Open House

Old Rochester Regional High School will hold their Annual Open House for Parents on Thursday evening, September 22, from 7:00 to 9:00 pm at the high school. All parents are urged to attend. Students are welcome to attend as well.

Mattapoisett Cultural Council

Mattapoisett Cultural Council grant applications are now available at the Mattapoisett Town Hall or online at www.mass-culture.org/lcc_home.asp, going to "Find Your LCC" and clicking on the alphabetical listing for "Mattapoisett." Entries must be postmarked by October 17, 2005.

Driver Education Class

Enrollment for the next Driver Education Class at Old Rochester Regional High School is now taking place. Due to a change in state law, a student must be at least 15 years, 9 months of age on or before October 17, 2005 in order to enroll in the class. Students from ORR will be given first available seats.

Please call the Martin Auto School at 508-999-3832 for further information. Registration period for ORR High School students only will be on October 4 and 5 in the high school cafeteria between 10:42 and 11:07 am and again between 12:11 and 12:36 pm. Those wishing to register for this class who are not students of ORR High School should call the Martin Auto School directly to register. The



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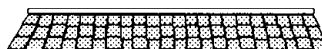
Mattapoisett Town Clerk

Mooring Inspections

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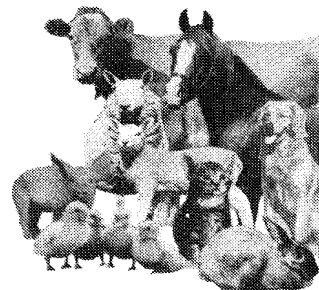
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Special Town Meeting/Election

A Special Town Meeting has been scheduled for October 24, 2005 in the Old Rochester Regional Auditorium. The meeting will begin promptly at 7:00 pm. The following day, October 25, 2005, there will be a Special Town Election at Old Hammondtown School with polls open from 10:00 am until 8:00 pm. The final day for Voter Registration to be able to participate in either or both events is October 4, 2005. The Town Clerk's office will be open until 8:00 pm on October 4 for registration. Please call the office at 508-758-4103 if you have any questions.

Street Lists

The 2005 Street Lists for Mattapoisett are now available in the Town Clerk's office. The fee is \$7.50 per listing.

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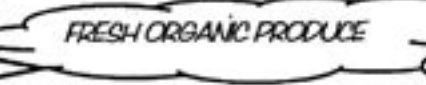
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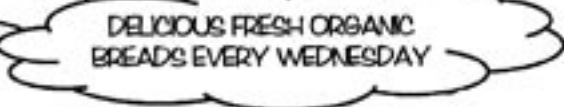
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Marion Special Town Meeting

The last day to register to vote for the Town of Marion's upcoming Special Town Meeting is Friday, October 14, 2005. The Town Clerk's office, Marion Town House, 2 Spring Street, will be open that day for voter registration from 8:00 am until 8:00 pm.

The Special Town Meeting will be held in the Sippican School Auditorium (easiest access via Park Street entrance) at 7:00 pm on Monday, October 24, 2005.

Voters may also register by mail using the mail-in forms which are widely available throughout the state or during regular Town House business hours: Monday - Thursday, 8:00 am to 4:30 pm; and Friday, 8:00 am to 3:30 pm.

For more information, please contact Town Clerk/Treasurer/Tax Collector Debra Blanchette at 508-748-3505.

FEMA Funds Approved

Recently the President declared that emergency exists in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and ordered Federal aid to supplement Commonwealth and local response efforts to assist evacuees from the area struck by Hurricane Katrina and to provide emergency assistance to those areas beginning on August 29, 2005, and continuing.

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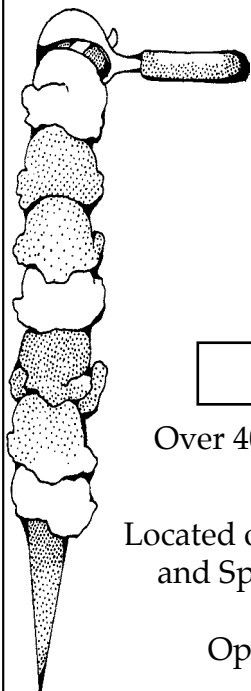
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Fairhaven Manjiro Festival

On Saturday, October 1, head for the historic center of Fairhaven for a free and fun-filled festival of all-things-Japanese: the Tenth Annual John Manjiro Festival. Live music, including powerful taiko Japanese drummers, martial arts demonstrations, tea ceremony, square-dancing, arts and crafts, food booths, and dozens of Japanese visitors will fill the streets starting at 10:00 am.

The first Japanese person to set foot in America was a 14-year-old boy named Manjiro Nakahama, rescued at sea in 1841 by Fairhaven whaling captain William Whitfield of the ship *John Howland*. Manjiro and four other shipwrecked fishermen survived many months on a deserted Pacific island before their rescue. While his companions chose to stay in Honolulu, the ship's next port-of-call, Manjiro completed the return voyage to Fairhaven, where he learned English, navigation, surveying and shipcraft. Ten years later, he returned to Japan and played a pivotal role in his country's entry into the modern era.

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In conjunction with the Manjiro Festival, the public is invited to a free showing of *The Castaways* (a film depicting John Manjiro's story) at the New Bedford Whaling Museum on Sunday, October 2 at 3:30 pm.

For more information, contact Gerry or Ayako Rooney at 508-995-1219 or Carolyn Longworth at 508-992-5342.

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Sippican Lands Trust

The Sippican Lands Trust (SLT) will host an evening featuring the art of Peter Stone, a local Marion artist, on September 30 at Handy's Tavern in Marion. The public is welcome to come and view the art which will be for sale to benefit SLT. Light refreshments will be served.

Peter Stone will be exhibiting his art at Handy's Tavern, 152 Front Street in Marion, from 5:30 to 9:00 pm on Friday, September 30. Paintings will be available for sale and a portion of the proceeds will be donated by the artist to the White Eagle project. The White Eagle Project will purchase 248 acres of woodland, wetlands and cranberry bogs in western Marion between Route 6 and Interstate I-95 for conservation purposes.

In addition to offering art works for sale, there will be a raffle of one of the paintings, valued at \$3500. Raffle tickets are \$5 each, five for \$20, and will be sold at the General Store and in Marion Center on September 22-23, and on the evening of the show.

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The Machacam Club will hold its October meeting on Wednesday, October 5 at the American Legion Hall on Depot Street in Mattapoisett. Social hour begins at 5:30 pm with dinner service at 6:00 pm.

The speaker this month will be Seth Mendell who will continue his history of Mattapoisett with "Mattapoisett in the Early 1900s and World War I."

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The event is being hosted by the Friends of the Marion Pathway Committee which hopes to make Marion residents more aware of the pathway and make it a reality. Bring your mountain bike and committee member Jeff Oakes will lead the cyclists on the path. He will have a bike pump, chain lube. The Marion Police Department will have a representative on site to discuss bicycle safety. Helmets are required to go on the ride. The ride starts at 11:00 am sharp. The walk will start at 11:15 am sharp. Walkers will have the option of walking all the way to Mattapoisett and ride back in a carpool or walk both ways or walk halfway in and back out again. Volunteers will



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The Sea Shell Steppers Square Dance Club will host a square dance with a 'Halloween' theme on Saturday evening, October 1 from 8:00 pm until 10:30 pm at the Acushnet Council on Aging at 5 1/2 Main Street in Acushnet. Caller will be Bob Butler and the cuer will be Anna

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Autumn Storytime for children between the ages of three and five begins on October 3 in the Children's Room at the Elizabeth Taber Library. Children are invited to enjoy stories, fingerplays and crafts on Monday mornings at 10:15 am or Tuesday afternoons at 1:30 pm. Autumn Storytime continues through November 29. Sign-up is required.

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The Elizabeth Taber Library is located at 8 Spring Street in Marion. The phone number is 508-748-1252. Their website is www.sailsinc.org/marion.

Mattapoisett/Marion Clinics

Flu Clinics in Mattapoisett and Marion will be scheduled following receipt of state-supplied flu vaccine. Through October 24, eligibility is limited to Mattapoisett and Marion residents aged 65 years and older and those with compromised health. After October 24, eligibility in accordance with Department of Public Health guidelines

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Tri-Town Early Childhood

Annual Meeting

On Tuesday, October 4 beginning at 6:00 pm in the cafeteria of the Rochester Memorial School, the Tri-Town Early Childhood Council will convene its annual meeting. Election of officers and new members will occur. Subcommittees will organize and map out plans for the year ahead. The council is responsible for organizing a variety of educational events and programs for children with young families as well as for the early childhood professionals who work with them in Marion, Mattapoisett and Rochester. This includes the work of the district's early childhood Mental Health grant. To be a part of the process, please plan to attend. Child care is available by pre-registration only. Call the Early Childhood Office (508-748-1863) by Friday, September 30 to register for child care. Parents and interested community members are welcome.

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Grant applications are available at the Elizabeth Taber Library, 8 Spring Street. Library hours are Monday / Wednesday / Friday, 10:00 am to 5:30 pm; Tuesday / Thursday, 10:00 am to 8:00 pm; Saturday, 10:00 am to 3:00 pm; and Sunday, 1:00 to 4:00 pm (October through May). Grant applications are also available online at www.mass-culturalcouncil.org.

Completed applications should include supportive documentation for projects and/or individuals, including cost estimates and backgrounds. Applicants should submit 12 copies of the application to the Elizabeth Taber Library or mail them to the Marion Town House / Marion Cultural Council, 2 Spring Street, Marion, MA 02738. Hand delivered applications will be accepted until 3:00 pm on Saturday, October 15 at the library.

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Otis to Stay Open

The Base Closure and Realignment Commission, the so-called BRAC Commission, issued a final report, in which it changed course and leaves open Otis Air National Guard Base. In the report, the Commission directs that

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the base be "realigned" rather than closed, which means it will continue to be an operating Air National Guard Base with the likelihood of taking on additional new missions. The commission's report also specified that the recommendation does not change the manpower levels of the Massachusetts Air National Guard, avoiding drastic reductions that were originally expected with the prospective closure of Otis.

The commission's report makes no change to its recommendation to move a squadron of F-15s from Otis to Barnes out in Westfield, nor does it change its recommendation to move the A-10s out of Massachusetts.

This final result represents a victory for the Massachusetts effort, led by Senator Kennedy and Governor Romney with the support of Senator Kerry and Congressman Delahunt to fight to save Otis in the BRAC process. It rejects the Defense Department's original recommendation to close the base. As a result of the Commission's change, no major base in Massachusetts was closed in the 2005 Base Realignment and Closure process.

Senator Kennedy said: "Otis has a new lease on life. The revised report means the base will continue, but with new missions that will give it a strong future role in protecting the security of the Commonwealth and the region."

"The Base Closure Commission listened to our arguments and decided to keep Otis Air Force Base open and keep our Massachusetts Air National Guard at current levels," said Governor Romney. "These are important

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victories, with positive long-term impacts for Massachusetts. I want to thank Senator Kennedy, our entire congressional delegation and Attorney General Tom Reilly for the focused and bipartisan effort that was made to present an effective and convincing case to the Commission."

"The BRAC Commission finally did the right thing by not closing Otis. I look forward to continuing to work with my colleagues to make sure that the magnificent men and women of Otis get the new military missions that will allow them to continue keeping our country strong," said Senator Kerry.

Congressman Delahunt added: "The BRAC report gives us real hope for Otis, the Coast Guard, our Air Guard and all the other vitally important missions at the Massachusetts Military Reservation. Coupled with MMR's outstanding response to Hurricane Katrina, it is a reaffirmation of the critical importance of the base as a regional center for homeland security."

Boston Cancer Walk

Volunteers are needed for the American Cancer Society's Making Strides Against Breast Cancer five-mile walk on Sunday, October 16, 2005, starting at the DCR Hatch Memorial Shell, Charles River Esplanade in Boston. Registration and rolling start are set for 8:00 to 10:00 am. Making Strides is the oldest and largest one-day walk in the nation to fight breast cancer. Volunteers can greet walkers, cheer them on, or help with organizing and logistics. Funds raised support the American Cancer Society's breast cancer research, education, advocacy and patient support programs. For more information, please call 1-800-ACS-2345 or e-mail: strides_boston@cancer.org.

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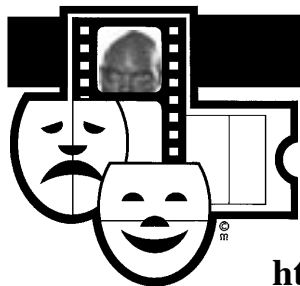


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Gun Crazy

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Lord of War. Starring Nicolas Cage and Jared Leto. Directed by Andrew Niccol. Running time: 122 minutes. MPAA rating: R.

The ads for *Lord of War* promise a farcical, half-crazy satire on a subject close to no one's heart — gun-running. Making a living by supplying weapons to chaotic nations is so indefensible that perhaps the movie, we think, will flip things around and find the thrill of it — the monetary rush, the power. Writer-director Andrew Niccol, however, has already decided how he feels about it, and he isn't the kind of filmmaker to give you a down-and-dirty rise-and-fall story, like Martin Scorsese's *GoodFellas* or Ted Demme's *Blow*. Those movies at least enticed us into complicity with intelligent men who chose to profit from human frailty. *Lord of War* can't stop reminding us that gun-running crushes the soul; the movie ultimately crushes itself in a vise of self-loathing. Niccol is so busy making the profession unattractive that he forgets to make the film engaging.

Nicolas Cage, as the suave weapons dealer Yuri Orlov, stands amid deep puddles of bullets and tells us (as in the ads) that there is a weapon for one in every twelve people on Earth, and that the problem is closing the deal with the other eleven. Then he smirks. *Lord of War* is a two-hour effort to wipe the smirk off Yuri's face. After witnessing a botched mob hit in a Little Odessa restaurant, Yuri decides that if people are going to kill each other anyway, they'll always need the means to do it. He begins small, with local gangs, and soon expands his clientele to global gangs — revolutionaries, counter-revolutionaries, whoever pays on time. Yuri has no scruples; he's just supplying a product, and what people do with it is their business. He enlists his slacker brother Vitaly (Jared Leto), who becomes his partner as well as a raving coke addict.

The movie's emotional reading is neutral. Other than the fact that the plaintively decent Nicolas Cage is playing him, we get little sense of Yuri's humanity, so we don't feel that his profession is rotting him away inside, even though the script tries to sell that later on. Yuri arranges to meet and seduce a woman (Bridget Moynahan) he's had his eye on since he was ten, and she has no spark or personality aside from maintaining a willing moral blindness to what he really does for a living. Yuri's riches buy him nice things, but we don't get any kick from the American dream realized by deception and blood. Niccol puts Yuri's lavish furnishings on the screen with no comment pro or con. *Lord of War* doesn't work as a tragedy or as a comedy, especially since Niccol



fills the soundtrack with glib, obvious songs that editorialize on the action (he actually puts Eric Clapton's "Cocaine" on when Vitaly starts his habit).

Did Andrew Niccol really want to make this movie? His previous efforts, 1997's *Gattaca* and 2002's *Simone*, both studied the human effects of technology. He also wrote 1998's overrated *The Truman Show*, which took the same tack. But *Lord of War*, which seems like a depressed remake of William Friedkin's 1983 flop *Deal of the Century*, has no connection to his previous concerns as an artist. It feels like something he made because the money was there to make it, effectively rendering him as much of a whore (though far less dangerous) as Yuri. Maybe Niccol, having fought hard battles to get some intelligent entertainment into theaters, sees himself in Yuri — sees Yuri as a stand-in for major-studio directors, who foist unpalatable product on people and don't care who it hurts. In that case, *Lord of War* is a self-hating Hollywood parable with no special insight into its putative subject, no matter how much research Niccol reportedly did.

As for Nicolas Cage, whose name is on the film as a producer, he probably lied to himself as much as Yuri does, telling himself he was making an important film shedding light on the global cycle of violence. But the movie doesn't care much about violence; there's a too-clever credits sequence following a bullet from creation to execution, and it ends its journey by thudding into a blank, anonymous face. The point isn't the life taken, it's the bullet. Cage can't find a consistent tone for Yuri, and he seems awfully constrained, denied either the heroism or the freakiness we know he's capable of.

About an hour into the movie, the great actor Eamonn Walker (of HBO's series *Oz*) turns up as a casually brutal dictator who does business with Yuri, and the audience is shaken awake. Walker gives us a violent man, not without humor, who knows exactly what he is and isn't bothered by it. He's so much more interesting than anyone else on the screen (including *Gattaca* star Ethan Hawke, thrown away as a goody-two-shoes agent on Yuri's trail) that he derails the movie by suggesting a complexity far beyond the margins of the rest of the film.

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500 Kings Highway, New Bedford, MA.
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Friday, Sept. 23 through Thursday, Sept. 29:
 Tim Burton's *Corpse Bride* (PG) – 1:15, 3:15, 5:05, 7:00, 8:50

The *Constant Gardener* (R) – 1:45, 4:20, 6:55, 9:40

The *40-Year-Old Virgin* (R) – 1:45, 4:15, 7:05, 9:40

Roll *Bounce* (PG-13) – 1:35, 4:10, 7:10, 9:35

Just Like *Heaven* (PG-13) – 1:20, 4:05, 7:10, 9:20

The *Exorcism of Emily Rose* (PG-13) – 1:30, 4:05, 7:05, 9:35

Cry Wolf (PG-13) – 1:40, 4:20, 7:15, 9:25

Four *Brothers* (R) – 1:25, 4:15, 7:25, 9:45

Transporter 2 (PG-13) – 1:20, 7:20

The *Man* (PG-13) – 4:00, 9:15

Lord of War (R) – 1:30, 4:00, 7:00, 9:30

March of the Penguins (G) – 1:15, 3:00

Sky High (PG) – 4:45

Wedding Crashers (R) – 7:20, 9:50

Flight Plan (PG-13) – 1:25, 4:25, 7:15, 9:25

• FLAGSHIP CINEMA 8 •

39 Doty Street (Route 58), Wareham, MA.

Movie Hotline: (508) 291-4100

Friday, Sept. 23 through Thursday, Sept. 29:

Flight Plan (PG-13) – 1:30, 4:00, 7:15, 9:25

Tim Burton's *Corpse Bride* (PG) – 1:30, 3:15, 5:05, 9:00

Just Like *Heaven* (PG-13) – 1:40, 3:50, 7:05, 9:10

Lord of War (R) – 1:35, 4:05, 6:50, 9:25

Cry Wolf (PG-13) – 1:45, 3:45, 7:20, 9:20

The *Exorcism of Emily Rose* (PG-13) – 1:55, 4:20, 7:10, 9:30

The *40-Year-Old Virgin* (R) – 2:00, 4:20, 6:55, 9:20

March of the Penguins (G) – 1:35, 3:20, 5:10

Transporter 2 (PG-13) – 7:15, 9:15

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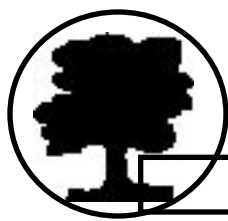
Friday, Sept. 23 through Thursday, Sept. 29:
The Constant Gardener (R) – Fri: 3:25, 6:40, 9:15;
 Sat: 12:30, 3:25, 6:40, 9:15; Sun: 12:30, 3:25, 6:40;
 Mon-Thu: 3:25, 6:40

2046 (R) – Fri: 3:15, 6:30, 9:05; Sat: 12:20, 3:15, 6:30,
 9:05; Sun: 12:20, 3:15, 6:30; Mon-Thu: 3:15, 6:30

Broken Flowers (R) – Fri: 3:35, 7:00, 9:00; Sat:
 12:40, 3:35, 7:00, 9:00; Sun: 12:40, 3:35, 7:00;
 Mon-Thu: 3:35, 7:00

Junebug (R) – Fri: 3:45, 6:50, 9:10; Sat: 12:50,
 3:45, 6:50, 9:10; Sun: 12:50, 3:45, 6:50; Mon-Thu:
 3:45, 6:50

March of the Penguins (G) – Fri: 3:55, 7:05, 8:45;
 Sat: 1:00, 3:55, 7:05, 8:45; Sun: 1:00, 3:55, 7:05;
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Wednesday, September 28: PROFESSIONAL DAY: No School.

Thursday, September 29: Chili or cheese dog, baked fries, sweet corn, fresh fruit, milk.

Friday, September 30: French bread pizza, garden salad, fruit, milk.

• COASTLINE ELDERLY NUTRITION PROGRAM

Monday, September 26: American chop suey, two-bean medley, dinner roll, peaches in light syrup.

Tuesday, September 27: Chicken vegetable soup, herb-baked chicken, O'Brien potatoes, multi-grain roll, banana.

Wednesday, September 28: Roast pork with applesauce, oven brown potatoes, broccoli, Parker House roll, birthday cake, graham wafer.

Thursday, September 29: Stuffed peppers, confetti rice, peas and carrots, light rye bread, chocolate pudding, sugar-free pudding.

Friday, September 30: Fish nuggets with tartar sauce, Delmonico potatoes, zucchini with tomatoes, multi-grain roll, raspberry smoothie.

• CENTER SCHOOL MATTAPOISETT

Monday, September 26: Tuna roll, oven fries, clam chowder, veggie sticks, ham and cheddar wrap, chilled fruit cup, milk.

Tuesday, September 27: Chicken teriyaki fillet on a roll, lettuce/tomato, chicken noodle soup, ham and cheddar wrap, chilled fruit cup, milk.

Wednesday, September 28: Fettuccini Alfredo with chicken and broccoli, warm garlic bread, salad greens, ham and cheddar wrap, chilled fruit, milk.

Thursday, September 29: Chicken Caesar salad wrap, veggie sticks, tomato soup, ham and cheddar wrap, chilled fruit cup, milk.

Friday, September 30: Cheese pizza, tossed salad, orange smiles, clam chowder, ham and cheddar wrap, milk.

• FORD MIDDLE SCHOOL ACUSHNET

Monday, September 26: Italian sausage subs with peppers and onions, baked chips, sweet corn, fresh fruit, milk.

Tuesday, September 27: Al dente spaghetti with meat sauce, warmed dinner roll, tender green beans, fruit, milk.

Wednesday, September 28: PROFESSIONAL DAY: No School.

Thursday, September 29: Chili or cheese dog, baked fries, sweet corn, fresh fruit, milk.

Friday, September 30: French bread pizza, garden salad, fruit, milk.

• MEMORIAL SCHOOL ROCHESTER

Monday, September 26: Tuna roll, oven fries, clam chowder, veggie sticks, ham and cheddar wrap, chilled fruit cup, milk.

Tuesday, September 27: Chicken teriyaki fillet on a roll, lettuce/tomato, chicken noodle soup, ham and cheddar wrap, chilled fruit cup, milk.

Wednesday, September 28: Fettuccini Alfredo with chicken

and broccoli, warm garlic bread, salad greens, ham and cheddar wrap, chilled fruit, milk.

Thursday, September 29: Chicken Caesar salad wrap, veggie sticks, tomato soup, ham and cheddar wrap, chilled fruit cup, milk.

Friday, September 30: Cheese pizza, tossed salad, orange smiles, clam chowder, ham and cheddar wrap, milk.

• OLD COLONY REGIONAL VOKE HIGH SCHOOL

Monday, September 26: Sausage or bacon burger, French fries, carrots, apples.

Tuesday, September 27: Ravioli with meat sauce, salad, bread, pudding.

Wednesday, September 28: Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, peas, cranberry sauce, chilled fruit.

Thursday, September 29: Cheeseburger, spicy fries, green beans, pineapple.

Friday, September 30: Seafood salad, pizza, pretzels, mixed vegetables, chilled fruit.

• OLD HAMMONDTOWN SCHOOL MATTAPOISETT

Monday, September 26: Tuna roll, oven fries, clam chowder, veggie sticks, ham and cheddar wrap, chilled fruit cup, milk.

Tuesday, September 27: Chicken teriyaki fillet on a roll, lettuce/tomato, chicken noodle soup, ham and cheddar wrap, chilled fruit cup, milk.

Wednesday, September 28: Fettuccini Alfredo with chicken and broccoli, warm garlic bread, salad greens, ham and cheddar wrap, chilled fruit, milk.

Thursday, September 29: Chicken Caesar salad wrap, veggie sticks, tomato soup, ham and cheddar wrap, chilled fruit cup, milk.

Friday, September 30: Cheese pizza, tossed salad, orange smiles, clam chowder, ham and cheddar wrap, milk.

• OLD ROCHESTER REGIONAL JR. AND SR. HIGH SCHOOLS

Monday, September 26: French toast sticks, sausage, warm apple slice, ham and cheese croissant, toasted cheese, milk.

Tuesday, September 27: Chicken teriyaki fillet on a roll, lettuce/tomato, chicken rice soup, potato puffs, Steak'Um with cheese, chilled fruit, milk.

Wednesday, September 28: Fettuccini Alfredo with chicken and broccoli, warm garlic bread, Caesar salad, pasta fagioli soup, quesadilla, chilled fruit, milk.

Thursday, September 29: Chicken Caesar salad wrap, tomato soup, popcorn chicken, chilled fruit cup, milk.

Friday, September 30: Fish and chips, cole slaw, clam chowder, bacon cheeseburger, orange smiles.

• SIPPICAN SCHOOL MARION

Monday, September 26: Tuna roll, oven fries, clam chowder, veggie sticks, ham and cheddar wrap, chilled fruit cup, milk.

Tuesday, September 27: Chicken teriyaki fillet on a roll, lettuce/tomato, chicken noodle soup, ham and cheddar wrap, chilled fruit cup, milk.

Wednesday, September 28: Fettuccini Alfredo with chicken and broccoli, warm garlic bread, salad greens, ham and cheddar wrap, chilled fruit, milk.

Thursday, September 29: Chicken Caesar salad wrap, veggie sticks, tomato soup, ham and cheddar wrap, chilled fruit cup, milk.

Friday, September 30: Cheese pizza, tossed salad, orange smiles, clam chowder, ham and cheddar wrap, milk.

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Grant Applications

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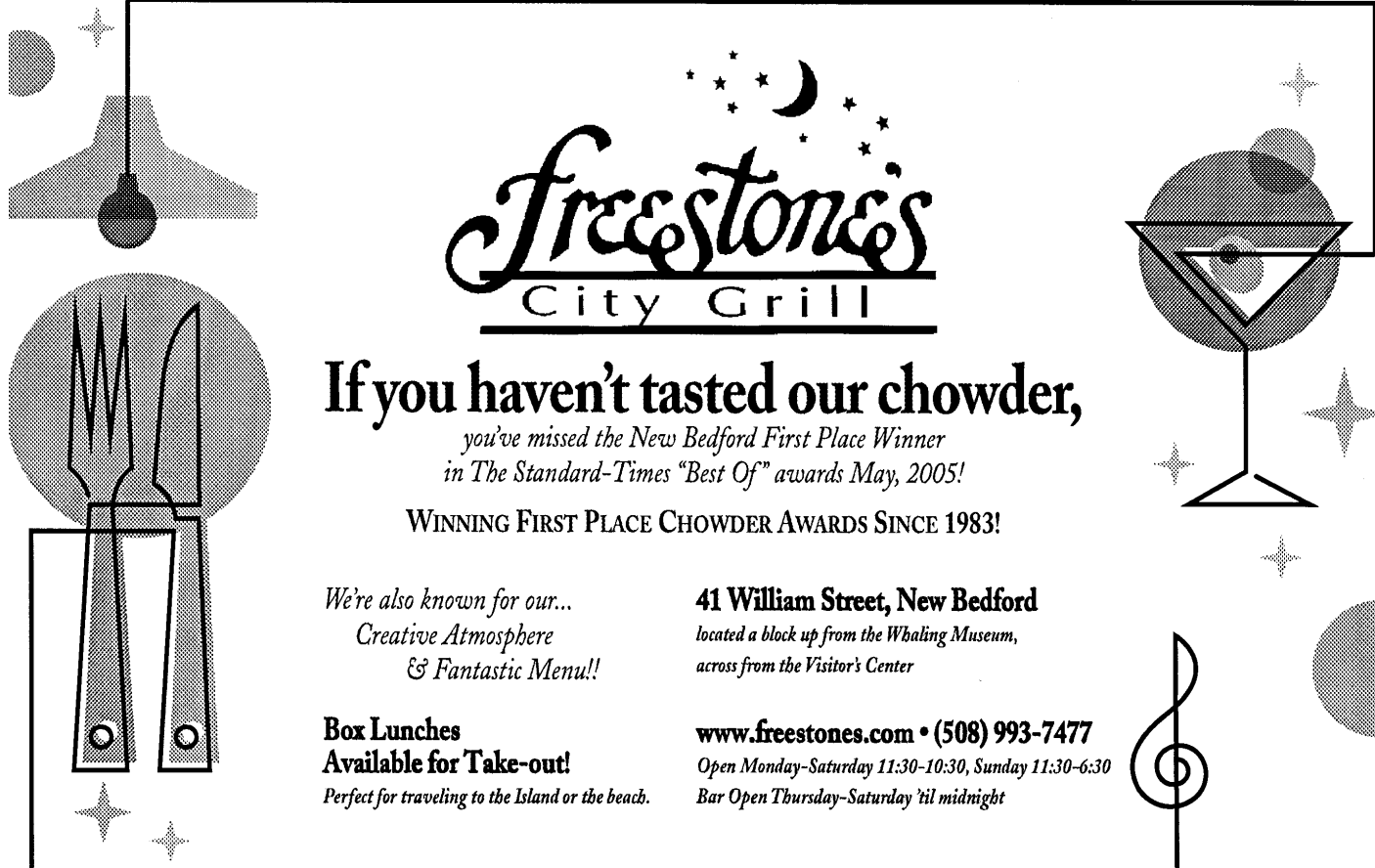
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ABOVE: Jon and Brenda Nutter of Rochester pose with a copy of *The Wanderer* in Bush, LA, St. Tammany Parish, which is about 40 miles north of New Orleans, on August 30, 2005 — the day after Hurricane Katrina hit the area.

ABOVE: Six-year-old Emily Newell poses with a copy of *The Wanderer* at Acadia National Park in Bar Harbor, Maine, during a recent trip with her family.



LEFT: Lindsay Days of Mattapoisett (center) poses with a copy of *The Wanderer* just before boarding an old wooden train from Soller to Palma Mallorca, Spain during a recent trip. With her are her grandparents, Larry and Diane Brewster.

Be sure to check out our new "I'm A Wanderer" online photo gallery link on our redesigned webpage (www.wanderer.com), which includes many color versions of all previously published photographs. Please e-mail digital photos (JPEG or TIFF format, at least 150 dpi) to: news@wanderer.com, or mail prints (color or b&w) to: The Wanderer, P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisett, MA 02739.

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manities and sciences. Applications can be obtained at the Rochester Town Hall, Bev Loves Books at the Plumb Corner Mall, and online at www.massculturalcouncil.org. Completed applications should include documentation for projects including cost estimates and be submitted by October 15 to Rochester Town Hall or Bev Loves Books in the Plumb Corner Mall.

Art Exhibit

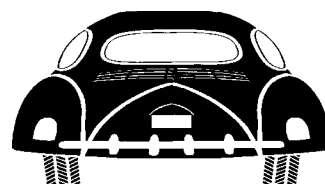
The Rochester Cultural Council is excited to announce plans for its first annual Autumn Art Exhibit, a two-day show featuring the work of local professionals, hobbyists, and art students. The mixed media exhibit will be open to the public on Saturday and Sunday, October 8 and 9, 2005. An opening reception for artists and their

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MARION

The following log highlights are for the week of September 11, 2005 through September 17, 2005:

- Marion Harbor – waterways complaints
- Barnabas Road – fire alarm
- Converse Road – animal complaint
- Mill Street – suspicious motor vehicle
- Island Wharf Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Main Street – found property
- Mill Street – general offense
- Delano Road – disturbance
- Island Wharf Road – suspicious activity
- Washburn Park Road – animal complaint
- Spring Street – found property
- Kabeyun Road – larceny/past
- Spring Street – motor vehicle accident/property damage
- Abels Way – suspicious motor vehicle
- Wareham Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Route 195 West – suspicious motor vehicle
- Wareham Road – disturbance
- Main Street – animal complaint
- Wells Road – suspicious activity
- Wareham Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Olde Knoll Road – motor vehicle complaint
- Wareham Road – officer wanted
- Point Road – larceny/past
- Mill Street – motor vehicle accident/hit and run/property damage
- Wareham Road – motor vehicle accident/personal injury

- Spring Street – suspicious activity
- Creek Road – noise complaint
- Rogers Drive – suspicious motor vehicle
- Spring Street – fraud
- Point Road – found property
- Pinewood Drive – noise complaint
- Point Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Pumping Station Road – noise complaint.

MATTAPOISETT

The following log highlights are for the week of September 11, 2005 through September 17, 2005:

- River Road – domestic disturbance
- Marion Road – animal control
- Fairhaven Road – safety/road hazard
- Church Street – disturbance
- North Street – burglary/breaking and entering into structure
- Water Street – animal control
- Fairhaven Road – disorderly person
- Huttleston Avenue – assist other agency
- Water Street – property found
- Melanie Lane – noise complaint
- Jane Lane – ambulance request
- County Road – safety/road hazard
- North Street – suspicious persons
- Fairhaven Road – structure fire
- County Road – larceny/forgery/fraud
- Mattapoissett Neck Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Crystal Spring Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Park Place – burglary/breaking and entering into structure
- Angelica Avenue – harbormaster emergency
- Marion Road – drugs/narcotics
- Fairhaven Road – motor vehicle accident
- Fairhaven Road – motor vehicle accident/hit and run
- North Street – motor vehicle accident/hit and run

- Fairhaven Road – larceny/forgery/fraud
- Tupola Lane – civil complaint
- Oaklawn Avenue – disturbance.

ROCHESTER

The following log highlights are for the week of September 13, 2005 through September 20, 2005:

- Snipatuit Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Robinson Road – suspicious person
- Dexter Lane – officer wanted
- Vaughan Hill Road – noise complaint
- Dexter Lane – erratic operation of motor vehicle
- Kings Highway – highway matter
- County Road – annoying phone calls
- Paradise Lane – ambulance request
- Vaughan Hill Road – suspicious person
- Bates Road – officer wanted
- Dexter Lane – officer wanted
- Sarah Sherman Road – motor vehicle accident
- Braley Hill Road – erratic operation of motor vehicle
- Pine Street – suspicious motor vehicle
- Rounseville Road – suspicious activity
- High Street – assist other agency
- Main Street – motor vehicle accident
- Vaughan Hill Road – noise complaint
- North Avenue – larceny/forgery/fraud
- Bernards Way – ATV/recreational vehicle complaint
- Kings Highway – motor vehicle accident
- Cranberry Highway – suspicious activity
- Braley Hill Road – highway matter.

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For additional information, you may contact Phoebe Butler, Cultural Council Chairman, at 508-763-8499 (e-mail WylBil@aol.com), Jay Ryan, Council Membership at 508-993-0631 (e-mail Jaypaints@aol.com). The Rochester Cultural Council is under the auspices of the Massachusetts Cultural Council and promotes excellence and diversity in the arts within the local community.

New Members

The Rochester Cultural Council is looking for new members for their distribution of funds in this year's granting process. The Council meets a few times a year to fund grants for the local organizations and school. In the past, the Council has funded programs at the Plumb



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57 Energy source
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71 "Seinfeld" character
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74 Cheerleader's maneuver
76 Hands (out)
78 Gnome's kin
80 Troop grp.
81 Buster Brown's dog
82 Florida city
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85 Disney dog
87 — standstill
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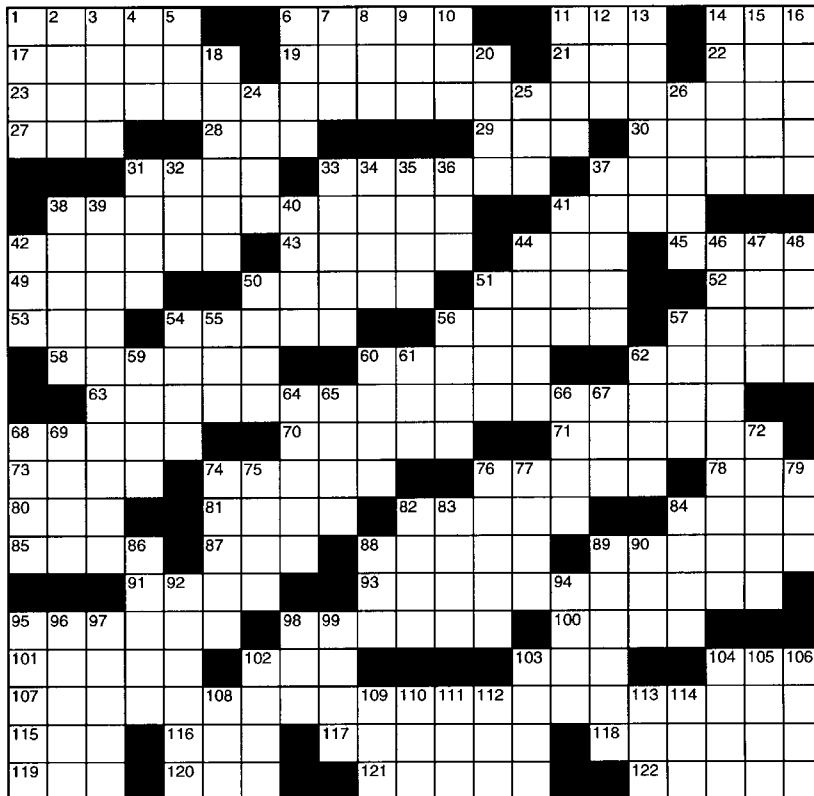
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95 Fix
98 One of the Judds
100 Smell — (be suspicious)
101 Gather
102 Fast flier
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115 Canterbury can
116 Past
117 Peanut
118 Natural gas component
119 Bristol brew
120 Comics' noise
121 Demi or Dudley
122 Hook on a hawk

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4 "M*A*S*H" extras
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11 Sousa-phone's cousin
12 Tucked in
13 Soft tone
14 Induce the jitters
15 Chef's shield?
16 Lenya or Lehmann
18 Actress Davidovich
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61 — Dinah Diem
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68 Novelist Bellow
69 "Casa-blanca" character
72 — Marbles
74 Flight segment
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SALOME'S STARS

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Personal matters claim a good deal of the Lamb's time in the early part of the week. But by midweek, pragmatic considerations (work, school, job-seeking, etc.) begin to take priority.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) The seasonal shift ignites the Bovine's creative aspects. You could do well if you try to combine your penchant for innovation with the more pragmatic demands of the week.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Ideas come easily to you this week. And never mind that some might suggest they're unworkable and/or impractical. It's your vision that counts. Work them out and see what turns up.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Personal matters continue to dominate the early part of the week. By midweek, more workaday issues once again begin to emerge. Balance your time to give both the attention they need.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) A new contact could provide an expanded opportunity. But be sure you get all the facts before you consider signing on. Ask questions, and be wary if you don't get the right answers.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) An unexpected development could cause some supposedly resolved disagreements to reignite. Deal with the situation before it leads to some really serious problems.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) A clash of work-linked viewpoints needs to be discussed openly, honestly and calmly by all concerned before it can impede progress on an ongoing project.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) The Scorpion's pragmatic side helps you accept the possibility that a change of plans might be the wise thing to do. Be sure to weigh all your considerations carefully.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Some people might not take no for an answer. Never mind. Keep your resolve if you're sure you don't want to be involved in a potentially sticky situation.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) All other facts and figures aside, it's what you learn about potential colleagues that can be most helpful in assessing any decisions you're likely to make regarding a new project.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) You might want to reconsider some of your outside commitments if they continue to demand more time than you can spare. Be honest with yourself when making a decision.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Pay attention to that inner voice of Piscean wisdom counseling you to remove those rose-colored glasses and take an honest look at any decisions you might face this week.

BORN THIS WEEK: You have a penchant for persuasion that would make you a fine candidate for a political career.

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Library, Rochester Council on Aging (COA), Rochester Country Fair, Tri-Town Symphony, and classroom trips to Plimoth Plantation, to name just a few. They are looking for more members to be a part of the funding process. The Council would like to fund its own Art Show in this coming year in Rochester with local artists. If you are interested in joining the Rochester Cultural Council, please contact Bev at 508-763-5503.

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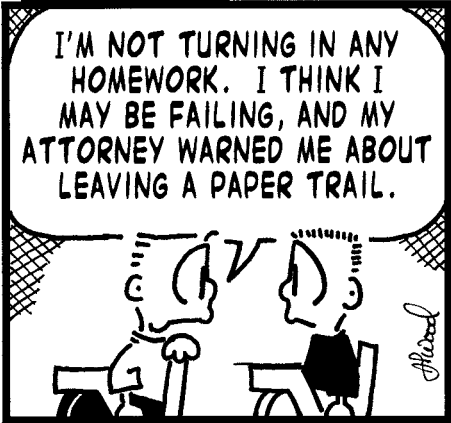
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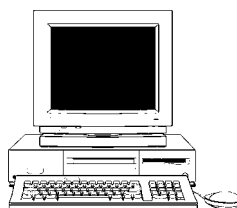
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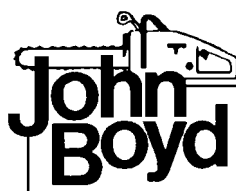
- WAREHAM: Wednesday, October 5 (Blood Drive Only), Board of Health, 54 Marion Road, Wareham, 8:00 am to 2:30 pm; Thursday, October 6 (Screenings only), Church of the Good Shepherd, 74 High Street, Wareham, 3:00 to 7:00 pm;

- FAIRHAVEN: Friday, October 7 (Blood Drive), Community Nurses of Fairhaven, 62 Center Street, Fairhaven, 8:00 am to 2:30 pm;

- ACUSHNET: Saturday, October 15, Blood Drive on Van Harbor Chiropractic, 132 South Main Street, Acushnet, 9:00 am to 1:00 pm;

- MARION: Saturday, October 15 (Screenings inside), Marion Music Hall, 164 Front Street, Marion, 10:00 am to 3:00 pm;

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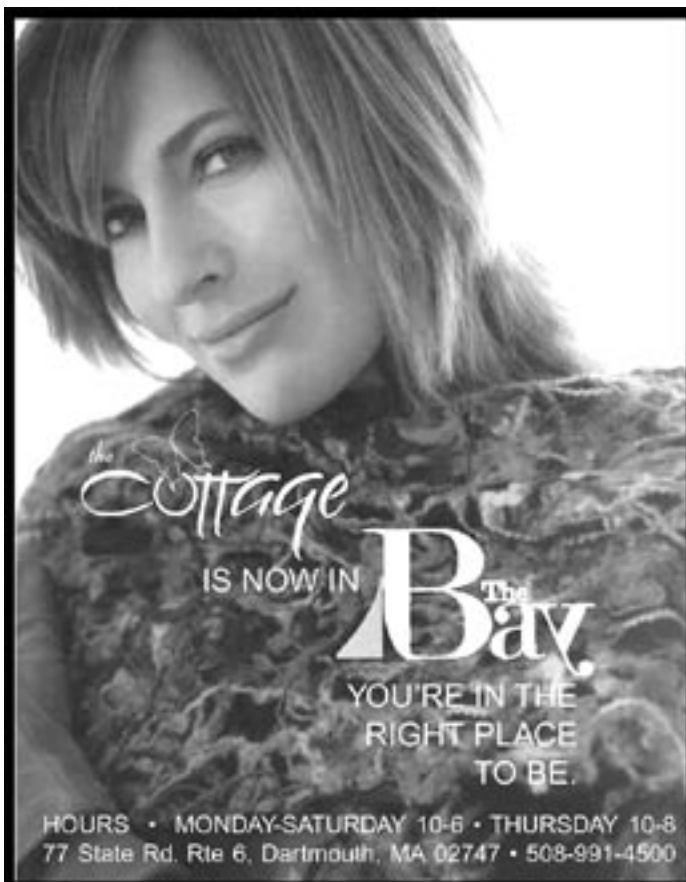
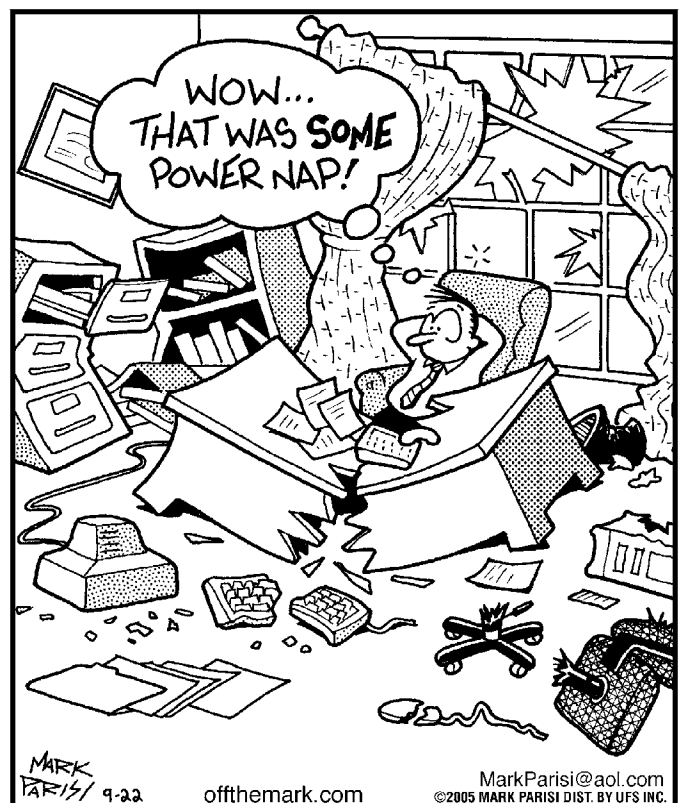
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September 22:	Thurs.	11:51	...	4:37	5:34
September 23:	Fri.	12:18	12:43	5:17	6:25
September 24:	Sat.	1:11	1:38	6:01	7:57
September 25:	Sun.	2:07	2:37	6:55	9:57
September 26:	Mon.	3:07	3:43	8:06	10:50
September 27:	Tues.	4:10	4:49	9:36	11:27
September 28:	Wed.	5:11	5:45	10:46	11:56
September 29:	Thurs.	6:03	6:29	11:36	...
September 30:	Fri.	6:46	7:05	12:24	12:20
October 1:	Sat.	7:23	7:38	12:53	1:01
October 2:	Sun.	7:57	8:11	1:23	1:41
October 3:	Mon.	9:05	9:21	2:24	2:47
October 4:	Tues.	9:42	10:01	2:55	3:34
October 5:	Wed.	10:22	10:44	3:27	4:11
October 6:	Thurs.	11:07	11:33	4:02	4:52
October 7:	Fri.	11:59	...	4:41	5:39
October 8:	Sat.	12:27	12:56	5:27	6:40
October 9:	Sun.	1:26	1:56	6:24	8:18

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	New Moon	October 3rd
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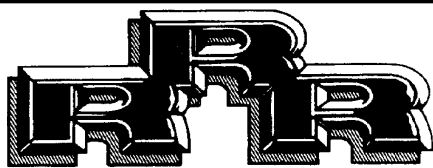
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